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ON CAMPUS THIS MONTH:

PRINCETON THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY FEBRUARY 1989

***SEMINAR**
Monday, January 30 - Thursday, February 2, Center of Continuing Education
"Themes in Jonah, Micah, Zechariah and Malachi"
Rabbi Solomon S. Bernards, retired, consultant to the Anti-Defamation League, will discuss some of the most exalted statements in Hebraic prophecy taken from such books as Micah, Zechariah, and Malachi. Participants will also be afforded the opportunity to hear Ruth Bernards lecture on "Women in the Bible".

***SEMINAR**
Monday, February 6 - 9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Center of Continuing Education
"Co-Existence and Conversion: Christian Witness to Jews in an Age of Dialogue"
The recent Presbyterian position paper entitled "Theological Understandings of the Relationships between Christians and Jews" will be addressed early in this seminar, as well as any questions arising from it. The afternoon portion of the seminar will focus on the practical problems of this relationship and the possibilities for relations between the Jews and the Christians in our own local communities.

Seminar leaders are A. James Rudin, national director of interreligious affairs, American Jewish Committee, and David Taylor, general secretary, The Consultation on Church Union.

LECTURE
Monday, February 6 - 7:00 p.m., Main Lounge
"Change and Continuity in the U.S. Religious Systems: Perspectives from Sociology" will be presented by Dr. Stephen Warner of the Institute for Advanced Study.

STONE LECTURES
Monday, February 13 - Thursday, February 16
David Noel Freedman, University of California, San Diego; University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
Dr. Freedman is one of the foremost biblical archeologists in the world, and has made major contributions to the field of biblical and ancient Near Eastern studies for over forty years. He was a founding editor, with William Albright, of the Anchor Bible Series.

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Stone Lectures (continued):

Overall Topic: "The Prophets of the Eighth Century B.C.E."
A Literary-Historical Approach

Lecture I. Monday, February 13, 7:00 p.m., Main Lounge
Canonical Considerations and Literary-Critical Criteria

Lecture II. Tuesday, February 14, 1:30 p.m., Main Lounge
The Minor Prophets I: Amos of Tekoa

Lecture III: Wednesday, February 15, 1:00 p.m., Main Lounge
The Minor Prophets II: Hosea ben-Beeri
Micah the Morashtite

Lecture IV. Wednesday, February 15, 7:00 p.m., Main Lounge
The Major Prophet: Isaiah ben-Amoz

Lecture V: Thursday, February 16, 2:30 p.m., Main Lounge
Summary and Summation: The Fifth and Final Prophet--Jonah

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ON CAMPUS THIS MONTH:

PRINCETON THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY — MARCH 1989

ALEXANDER THOMPSON LECTURE
Monday, March 6 - 7:00 p.m., Main Lounge, Mackay Center
Dr. Frank Moore Cross, Jr., will be presenting this year's Alexander Thompson Lecture. The lecture title will be "The Redemption of Nature." Dr. Cross is Hancock Professor of Hebrew and other oriental languages at Harvard University and has authored numerous articles during his career in the field of Near-Eastern studies, Semitics, biblical archaeology, and the Dead Sea Scrolls. He earned his Ph.D. in Semitic Languages from Johns Hopkins University.

The Alexander Thompson Lectureship was established in honor of the Reverend Alexander Thompson, a 1909 Princeton Seminary alumnus, to deal with the topic of biblical scholarship in an annual lecture. The lecture is open to the public and is free of charge.

***SEMINAR**
Monday, March 6 - 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Center of Continuing Education
Marlene Wilson, author of How to Mobilize Church Volunteers and The Effective Management of Volunteer Programs, will be presenting this seminar which is co-sponsored by the Church Education Cluster of New Jersey, the School of Christian Education, and the Center of Continuing Education.

This workshop will deal with effective ways for finding teachers or leaders in your church. Ms. Wilson guarantees that you will fill those jobs if you follow her guidelines for recruiting, motivating, and nurturing volunteers.

This workshop is for church school superintendents, nominating committees, pastors, and committee chairs.

LECTURE
Sunday, March 12 and 26 - 7:30 p.m., Main Lounge, Mackay Center - "Book of Hebrews."
The Reverend Dr. Ernest Gordon, former Dean of the Princeton University Chapel and President of CREED (Christian Rescue Effort for the Emancipation of Dissidents), will be speaking on the Book of Hebrews. Everyone is welcome.
Dr. Gordon will also be speaking at Princeton Seminary on April 9 and May 7. The time and place will remain the same.

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MUSICAL OFFERING - "The Crucifixion"
Good Friday, March 24, 8:00 p.m., Miller Chapel
"The Crucifixion" by Sir John Stainer will be presented by the Chapel Choir and the Seminary Singers. Music will be under the direction of David A. Weadon, C. F. Seabrook Director of Music. This event is open to the public and free of charge.

WARFIELD LECTURES
Monday, March 27 - Thursday, March 30, Main Lounge, Mackay Center
John H. Leith, D.D., Ph.D., Mary Elizabeth Pemberton Professor of Theology at Union Theological Seminary in Richmond, Virginia, will be the Warfield Lecturer for 1988-89. The overall topic and individual lectures are as follows:

FROM GENERATION TO GENERATION: The Task of Handing on the Faith in a Pluralistic, Secular, Mobile, Mass-Media-Dominated Society.

I. **Monday, March 27 - 7:00 p.m., Miller Chapel**
"The Problem of Tradition: Heritage and Trust"

II. **Tuesday, March 28 - 1:30 p.m., Main Lounge**
"The Church and Its Ministry"

III. **Wednesday, March 29 - 1:00 p.m., Main Lounge**
"Preaching"

IV. **Wednesday, March 29 - 7:00 p.m., Main Lounge**
"Teaching"

V. **Thursday, March 30 - 2:30 p.m., Main Lounge**
"Pastoral Care"

VI. **Thursday, March 30 - 7:00 p.m., Main Lounge**
"Preaching the Gospel in All the World"

***SEMINAR**

March 28 - March 31, Center of Continuing Education - "Spiritual Development in a Reformation Context"

James C. Emerson, pastor of the Calvary Presbyterian Church, San Francisco, California, will be presenting this seminar.

The purpose of this seminar is to put the contribution of the Reformation, especially as reflected in John Calvin, next to those insights gained from Augustinian, Franciscan, Ignatian, and Quaker approaches. Special attention will be given to the Rule of St. Benedict and its role in the transition from early church spiritual formations to that of the Reformation.

This program will include time for exploring a reading list, experience in various spiritual development exercises, theological reflection, and lectures by the instructor.

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ON CAMPUS THIS MONTH:

PRINCETON THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY APRIL 1989

***SEMINAR**
Monday, April 3 - 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Center of Continuing Education, "Reflection and Reaction to Proposed Brief Statement of the Reformed Faith"
E. David Willis-Watkins, Charles Hodge Professor of Theology, Princeton Seminary, and Clarice J. Martin, assistant professor of New Testament, Princeton Seminary, are part of a special committee of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) which was appointed in May of 1984 to draft a "Brief Statement of the Reformed Faith" for use by the whole Church.

The seminar will focus on the revised draft, giving opportunity for discussion and dialogue with key members of the General Assembly committee. Those attending will help in the shaping of this important document.

ANNUAL BOOK SALE
Wednesday - Friday, April 5 - 7, 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m., Campus Center Auditorium
The Seminary's annual book sale, sponsored by the Stewardship Committee, is an opportunity to donate used books for sale, or to purchase used books. If you can donate books or need more information please call (609) 497-1257.

PROGRAM ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE
Thursday, April 6 and 20, 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon, Alexander Oratory
The Clergy Project on Domestic Violence, in conjunction with Womanspace, Inc., and the Field Education Office, will be conducting an in-depth training program for local clergy and the Seminary community. The Reverend Cindy Storrs, assistant director of the Clergy Project, and Nancy Mikoski, chaplain intern at Womanspace, will be the seminar leaders. Guest speakers will also make presentations.

LECTURE
Sunday, April 9, 7:30 p.m., Main Lounge, Mackay Center - "Book of Hebrews"
The Reverend Dr. Ernest Gordon, former dean of the Princeton University Chapel and president of CREED (Christian Rescue Effort for the Emancipation of Dissidents), will be speaking on the "Book of Hebrews." Everyone is welcome.

ORGAN RECITAL
Sunday, April 9, 7:30 p.m, Miller Chapel
Mr. Eric Gombert, Princeton Seminary Choir accompanist and senior church music major and organ principal at Westminster Choir College, will present this recital including the works of Bach, Franck, Marchand, and Persichetti.

***SEMINAR**
Monday - Thursday, April 10, 4:30 p.m.- April 13, noon, Center of Continuing Education, "An Invitation to Healing: Holistic Health Care and the Parish Nurse"
Mark Lasser, professor of religion, Morningside College, and former director of holistic health services of Sioux City, Iowa, and Jan Striepe, R.N., parish nurse, Trinity Lutheran Church, Spencer, Iowa, will examine the interaction of body, mind, and spirit. This seminar will deal with the psychosomatic and psychosocial theories of health and the relationship between spiritual faith and physical health.

Models of parish ministry will be explored with special attention given to the new concept of the parish nurse. Pastors and nurses are encouraged to attend this seminar as teams.

MUSICAL OFFERING
Friday, April 14, 8:00 p.m., Miller Chapel
Mr. John Weaver, director of music and organist at the Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church, New York City, will present this second in a series of recitals commemorating the 25th Anniversary of the installation of the Moller Organ in Miller Chapel. Mr. Weaver is also head of the Organ Department at The Curtis Institute of Music and chair of the Organ Department at The Julliard School. He has been acclaimed as "A Musician For All Seasons" and the New York Times calls him, "...a performer whose technique, musicianship, stylistic acuity and taste make for interpretations of uncommon clarity, poise and good sense."

***SEMINAR**
Monday - Thursday, April 17, 10:00 a.m. - April 20, noon,
Center of Continuing Education, "Personal Power"
Roy Pneuman of the Alban Institute will present this program exploring ways to manage inner conflicts and eliminate self-defeating behavior.

Participants will examine the power beliefs have in creating the ultimate reality of life, as well as discarding self-limiting thoughts and releasing emotional energies, thereby gaining access to sources of personal power. Participants will also learn techniques to manage inner conflicts and sustain the harmony within.

"An Evening of Improvisation"
Thursday, April 27, 8:00 p.m., Mackay Center Auditorium
With apologies to T.S. Eliot, -- "April is the funnest month." Under the direction of Virginia Damon, assistant director of speech, emerita, the improvisation class will blossom forth in its annual spring adventure. Come and join us! This always proves to be a rollicking evening on campus.

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ON CAMPUS THIS MONTH:

PRINCETON THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY **MAY 1989**

***SEMINAR**

Monday, May 1, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Center of Continuing Education, "Sanctuary as a Sign of Grace"

John M. Fife, pastor of the Southside Presbyterian Church in Tucson, Arizona, is presenting this lecture for persons who wish to explore the concept of sanctuary in the world of the late twentieth century. Shelters for battered women and children, wilderness refuges for endangered wildlife, nuclear-free zones--these may be examples of the serious need for places of sanctuary in the world. Fife's church was the first church to become part of the sanctuary movement when the congregation opened its church building to Central American refugees who were illegally in the country.

BOOK SIGNING

Monday, May 1 - 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m., Theological Book Agency, The Christian Frame of Mind

Scottish theologian and author Thomas Torrance will sign copies of his new book The Christian Frame of Mind at the Theological Book Agency on the Seminary campus.

Considered one of the twentieth century's major Protestant theologians, Torrance has spent the last several years since his retirement from the faculty of the University of Edinburgh doing research in the field of religion and science. During that time he has been a fellow at the Center for Theological Inquiry in Princeton, NJ.

CONFERENCE

Monday-Wednesday, May 22-24, Stuart Hall, "Educating for Justice: Religious Perspectives."

Representatives of Islam, Judaism and Christianity will join on the Seminary campus to present this conference. Among the presentors will be Professor Seyyed Hossein Nasr, University Professor of Islamic Studies at George Washington University, and Professor Khalid Duran of The American University in Washington, D.C. Professor Peter J. Paris, Professor of Christian Social Ethics at Princeton Theological Seminary will deliver the keynote address.

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The event will also allow participation in workshops on the following four themes:

"Religious Trialogue: Prospects, Possibilities and Problems"

"Afro-American Perspectives on Theological Education"

"Sophia Texts in the Seminary Curriculum"

"Reading the Bible in Latin American Base-Communities"

For further details and lodging information, please contact:

Patricia Davis
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Princeton, NJ 08542-0803
(609) 497-7725

There is no fee for this conference.

ALUMNI/AE REUNION GATHERING
Thursday - Friday, May 25 & 26, 11:00 a.m. & 2:30 p.m., Stuart Hall

A reminder to alumni/ae that the Alumni/ae Reunion Gathering will be held on the above dates. Dr. James H. Charlesworth, Professor of New Testament Language and Literature, will present four major lectures drawing on his work Jesus Within Judaism and his 1988-89 sabbatical work on the Dead Sea Scrolls and Codex Syriacus in Israel. Lecture dates and times are as follows:

Thursday, May 25	- 11:00 a.m.	-	Lecture I
	- 2:30 p.m.	-	Lecture II
Friday, May 26	- 11:00 a.m.	-	Lecture III
	- 2:30 p.m.	-	Lecture IV

For further information or to register, please call the Alumni/ae Office at (609) 497-7785.

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ON CAMPUS THIS MONTH:

PRINCETON THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY OCTOBER 1989

***SEMINAR**

"Human Rights in the Reformed Tradition"
Monday, October 2, 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m., Center of Continuing Education

Edward A. Dowey, Jr., professor of the history of Christian doctrine, emeritus, Princeton Theological Seminary, will lead this seminar. Presentations will include historical sketches of the relation of churches in the Reformed tradition to human rights, as well as theological formulations from John Calvin to Alan Boesak.

***SEMINAR**

"Love and Violence in the Family: Coping with Domestic Violence in the Congregation"
One-day Events, October 6, 13, 20, 27, 9:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon, Center of Continuing Education

Joan Chamberlain Engelsman, Department of Religion, Drew University Theological School, will head this seminar on family violence. The purpose of this course is to help clergy recognize and understand family violence and to consider how theological issues such as suffering and forgiveness affect victims and their abusers. Practical suggestions for both clergy and congregation will form a major part of this seminar.

***SEMINAR**

"The Public Ministry, Passion and Resurrection of Jesus, According to the Fourth Gospel"
Monday, October 9, 4:30 p.m. - Thursday, October 12, 12:00 noon, Center of Continuing Education

In anticipation of the lectionary readings for Advent and Holy Week in 1989-1990, Cullen I K Story, professor of New Testament, emeritus, Princeton Theological Seminary, will present this

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seminar. Included will be a focus on the "signs" and the "I am" affirmations of Jesus, a consideration of themes such as faith and witness, and a study of persons whose lives are changed by Jesus (e.g. Nicodemus, the Samaritan woman, Peter, and Mary). This seminar will be of particular value for those who are preaching from the lectionary.

SEMINARY SATURDAY
Saturday, October 21, 9:00 a.m., Mackay Campus Center

Princeton Seminary will again host a "Seminary Saturday" for laity and clergy interested in visiting the campus. Scheduled Seminary speakers and their topics include Conrad H. Massa, dean of academic affairs and professor of practical theology, "Theological Education in the '90s"; Michael E. Livingston, campus pastor and director of the Chapel, "Student Body Portrait and the Role of Seminary Pastor"; Richard S. Armstrong, professor of ministry and evangelism, "Preparing for the Pastoral Ministry"; and students presenting their perspectives of the Seminary.

Other scheduled events include a campus tour, picnic lunch and the Princeton vs. Fordham football game.

To make a reservation, contact: The Reverend Dr. Fred W. Cassell, Princeton Theological Seminary, CN 821, Princeton, NJ 08542 or telephone (609) 497-7757.

***SEMINAR**

"Faith and Politics: Justice Among the World Religions"
Monday, October 23, 4:30 p.m. - Thursday, October 26, 12:00 noon, Center of Continuing Education

Each of the world religions has traditional concepts of the way its trancendent vision can be applied to structuring justice in human society. This seminar will explore these traditions in four major spiritual expressions: Islam, Hinduism, Afro-American, and mainstream American. The presentors will include Charles C. Ryerson III, Princeton Theological Seminary; Peter Awn, Columbia University; Albert Raboteau, Princeton University; and James Moorhead, Princeton Theological Seminary.

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*SEMINAR

"Smiling Wisdom: Robertson Davies and Frederick Buechner"
Monday, October 23, 4:30 p.m. - Thursday, October 26, 12:00 noon, Center of Continuing Education

Theodore A. Gill, professor of philosophy, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, City College of New York, will present this seminar on the light touch that leaves a deep impression; the truth in laughter, irony, rue, in incident, and in language. The major concentration will be on the novels of Robertson Davies and Frederick Buechner, with side-long looks at other literature, the music of Mozart, and a day-long excursion in the art museums of New York City.

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ON CAMPUS THIS MONTH:

PRINCETON THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY NOVEMBER 1989

BOOK SIGNING

Wednesday, November 1, 3-5 p.m., Main Lounge of the Mackay Campus Center

The Theological Book Agency and Westminster Press are hosting an author signing party honoring the authors of the following new publications:

- Christine M. Smith, assistant professor in homiletics, author of Weaving the Sermon: Preaching in a Feminist Perspective;
- Hugh T. Kerr, Benjamin B. Warfield Professor of Systematic Theology, Emeritus, and senior editor of "Theology Today", editor of Calvin's Institutes: A New Compend;
- Thomas G. Long, Francis Landey Patton Professor of Preaching and Worship, author of The Witness of Preaching;
- Diogenes Allen, Stuart Professor of Philosophy, author of Christian Belief in a Postmodern World: The Full Wealth of Conviction

All of these publications will be available for purchase at a special price. Refreshments will be served and all are welcome.

***SEMINAR**

"The Nature of Faith"
Thursday, November 2, 4:30 pm, through Sunday, November 5, noon, Center of Continuing Education

Led by Diogenes Allen, Stuart Professor of Philosophy, this seminar focuses on faith as the central category of the Christian religion and examines four major aspects of faith with the intention of restoring "the full wealth of conviction." (Col. 2:2 NEB)

LECTURE

"The Grand Continuum: Earth, Life, and Consciousness: Foundational Notions for New Ecological Awareness"
Friday, November 3, 12:30 p.m., Main Lounge, Mackay Campus Center

Dr. Paulos Mar Gregorios is Metropolitan of Delhi of the Orthodox Syrian Church and a graduate of the Seminary in the class of 1954.

STUDENT TALENT NIGHT

Friday, November 3, 8:00 p.m., Miller Chapel

This is the first in a series of Student Talent Nights at PTS. Students performing include: Eric Belt, Noelle Damico, David de Silva and Shannon White. Voice, piano, saxaphone and organ compositions will be presented. This performance is open to the public and free of charge.

*SEMINAR

"Christian and Jewish Perspecitves on the Theological Significance of the State of Israel"
Monday, November 6, 9:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m., Center of Continuing Education

Representative of liberal and conservative positions within the Jewish and Christian communities enter into conversation on the theological significance of one of this century's most pressing political concerns. Lectures and small-group discussions.

NEUMANN LECTURE

"Understanding J. Gresham Machen"
Wednesday, November 8, 7:00 p.m., Main Lounge, Mackay Campus Center

The speaker will be Dr. George Marsden, professor of the history of Christianity in America at the Divinity School, Duke University.

LECTURES

"The Scientific Character of Theology" (11/9); "Dogmatics in the Church" (11/10)
Thursday, November 9, and Friday, November 10, both at 12:30 pm in the Main Lounge, Mackay Campus Center
The speaker, Dr. Gerhard Sauter, is professor of systematic theology at the University of Bonn, West Germany.

CONCERT

Friday, November 17, 8:00 p.m., Miller Chapel

The Princeton Seminary Choirs, with orchestra, will perform a concert featuring a "Requiem" by John Rutter, a contemporary English composer. The concert will be conducted by David A. Weadon, C.F. Seabrook director of music and organist.

LECTURESHIP ON MISSIONS

"In Search of Selfhood: Mission Perspectives"
Monday-Wednesday, November 27-29, Main Lounge, Mackay Campus Center

John S. Pobee, a native of Ghana who is an Anglican clergyman and is associate director of the program on theological education, World Council of Churches, will deliver the Students' Lectureship on Missions for 1989-90:

11/27 - 7:00 p.m.: "In the Beginning, Glory, Gold and God"
11/28 - 1:30 p.m.: "Church and State: Some African Perspectives"
11/29 - 7:00 p.m.: "Sent in Peace and for Peace"

STORY READING

Thursday, November 30, 8:00 p.m., Mackay Auditorium

The 14th Annual Short Story Reading by William Brower, Acting Director of Speech. Mr. Brower will read stories from the turn of the century from three countries - Scotland, Russia and France.

"Gilray's Flower-Pot" by Sir J.M. Barrie
"The Bet" by Anton Chekhov
"The Last Lesson" by Alphonse Daudet

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ON CAMPUS THIS MONTH:

PRINCETON THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY DECEMBER 1989

*** SEMINAR ON PREACHING**

"How to Plan a Haunted House"
Monday, December 4, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Center of Continuing Education

R. Maurice Boyd, minister, Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church, New York City. Fee $30 (includes lunch)

***SEMINAR**

EARLY CHRISTIAN RESPONSES TO THE WORLD: I CORINTHIANS AS CASE STUDY

Monday, December 4, 4:30 p.m. to December 7, 12:00 p.m.

A socio-historical study of Paul's first letter to the Corinthians as a window into some of the early Christian self-definitions and responses to the world. An attempt will be made to understand the nature of the influence of these self-definitions and responses upon the character of contemporary Christianity and western culture. Fee: $225

***SEMINAR**

THE CHURCH AND SOCIAL CHANGE

Monday, December 4, 4:30 p.m. to December 7, 12:00 p.m.

A report of a 36 year ministry in Maine that brought profound social, economic, and political changes to the region in medicine, health, housing, food and community life. Can this model be used to give strength to the ministry of the church in both rural and urban America? Cost: $225

STUDENT TALENT NIGHT

Friday, December 8, 8:00 p.m., Miller Chapel

The second in a series of Student Talent Nights at PTS. Students performing will include: Karen Frederick, Bobby Arrowsmith, and Kristen Will.

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ANNUAL CHRISTMAS CANDLELIGHT SERVICES

Wednesday, December 20, Miller Chapel, 6:30 and 8:30 p.m.

The Princeton Seminary Singers, under the direction of David A. Weadon, will present two identical Services of Lessons and Carols, based on the service of King's College, Cambridge. Participating in the service will be Kathleen Bride, Harpist. Caroling on the quandrange will follow each service. All are invited to attend this beautiful Advent service.

ON CAMPUS THIS MONTH:

PRINCETON THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY FEBRUARY 1990

*SEMINAR

"Childhood Cancer: Why Is It Different?"
Monday, February 5, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Center of Continuing Education

This conference will focus on critical aspects of childhood cancer. Lectures will be given on the theme of the conference, developmental aspects of children with life-threatening or terminal disease, and pastoral care of children and their families. Participants will have the opportunity to be involved in discussion groups on family dynamics; the child as survivor; and special issues of the dying child. Fee: $30 (includes lunch)

*SEMINAR

"Pastoral Care and Counseling With Women"
Monday, February 12, 4:30 p.m. to Thursday, February 15, 12:00 p.m.

Women have traditionally made up the largest proportion of counselees in both secular and pastoral counseling. However, the needs and experiences of women have not yet been at the heart of most personality theories and counseling approaches. This course will address the pastoral care and counseling needs of women with an eye to the sociocultural contexts of women's psychological distress. Dr. Christie Neuger will explore the interface of cultural, psychological, physiological dynamics along with their implications for pastoral counseling with both men and women. Fee: $225(commuter rate:$115)

*ONE DAY RETREAT

"Steal Away to Jesus": The Discipline of Solitude
Monday, February 19, 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

This a day of quiet retreat will center on solitude and detachment from the world as preparation for community and service. There will be Scripture meditations for cultivating silence and prayer guided by the director. Through these and individual retreat times for prayer and journal writing, participants will explore methods for deepening their own devotional lives and Sabbath time in preparation for Lent.

(A limited number of participants may sign up for brief individual times with the director)
Fee: $30(includes quiet lunch; limited to 17)

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STONE LECTURES

"Prophetic Thought in Post-Modern Times"
Monday-Thursday, February 19-22, Main Lounge, Mackay Campus Center

This series of lectures will be given by Dr. Cornel West, professor and director of the program in Afro-American studies at Princeton University.

Lecture I, Monday, February 19, 7:00 p.m., Main Lounge

Lecture II, Tuesday, February 20, 1:30 p.m., Main Lounge

Lecture III, Wednesday, February 21, 1:30 p.m., Main Lounge

Lecture IV, Wednesday, February 21, 7:00 p.m., Main Lounge

Lecture V, Thursday, February 22, 1:30 p.m., Main Lounge

***SEMINAR**

"The Question of Ordained Ministry: Current Ecumenical Dialogue"
Monday, February 19, 4:30 p.m. to Thursday, February 22, 12:00 p.m.

What is the place of ordained ministry within the totality of what the Church is called to do? In this seminar, scholars representing major ecclesial traditions will discuss categories of ministry, ecumenical achievements, and outstanding problems. The BEM text and official responses to it will be reviewed. Fee: $225(commuter rate:$115)

CONCERT

Friday, February 23, 8:00 p.m., Miller Chapel

The third in a series of Student Concerts will be presented. Students and members of the Faculty will perform The True Story of Cinderella by Warren Martin. Also featured will be Loren Stuckenbruck at the piano.

WORSHIP SERVICE FOR BLACK HISTORY MONTH

Tuesday, February 27, 7:30 p.m., Miller Chapel

Dr. Jeremiah Wright, pastor of the Trinity United Church of Christ in Chicago, will preach at a special service of worship to celebrate Black History Month.

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ON CAMPUS THIS MONTH:

PRINCETON THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY MARCH 1990

CONCERT

Friday, March 2, 7:30 p.m., Miller Chapel

A performance of EMILY DICKINSON AND THE "ECLIPSE" will be presented through the efforts of the Speech Department and the Director of Music. Ms. Marcia Wood, soprano, will perform songs and readings by Emily Dickinson. She will be accompanied on the piano by Ms. Shirley Batchelor. This performance is open to the public. Admission is free.

ALEXANDER THOMPSON LECTURE

"Visions of Paradise"
Monday, March 5, 7:00 p.m., Main Lounge, Mackay Campus Center

Dr. Elaine Pagels, Professor of Religion at Princeton University, will give a lecture on "Visions of Paradise: From the Time of Jesus to the Time of Augustine."

*** SEMINAR**

"When and How Should the Churches Speak and Act on Public Policy?"
Monday, March 5, 9:30 a.m., to 3:30 p.m., Center of Continuing Education; Seminar Leader: Dr. Charles West

Mainline churches, the National and World Council of churches, and recently the American Council of Catholic Bishops, have all come under heavy conservative attack for the policy statements they have formulated and the positions they have taken on questions of peace and social justice. This session will consider two questions:
1) When should the Church speak and act corporately on social questions?

2) By what process should the Church come to a common mind and a public witness amid the conflict of interests, analyses, and personal convictions in its membership?
The present reflection on these issues in the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) will be taken as a paradigm of the problem.
Fee: $30 (includes lunch)

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* SEMINAR

" Overcoming Obstacles in Preaching"
Monday, March 5, 4:30 p.m. to Thursday, March 8, 12:00 noon, Center of Continuing Education; Seminar Leader: Dr. Thomas Long

This is a seminar aimed at those who are experiencing difficulties and frustrations in their preaching, either in terms of creating effective sermons or delivering sermons. The goal of the seminar is to help each participant identify the problems in his or her preaching and provide assistance in addressing those problems. Participants are asked to bring written transcripts (and audio tapes, if possible) of two recent sermons.

Fee: $225 (commuter rate: $115) Limited to 15 participants

* SEMINAR

"The Christian Pilgrimage"
Monday, March 12, 4:30 p.m., to Thursday, March 15, 12:00 noon, Center of Continuing Education; Seminar Leader: Dr. Diogenes Allen

An examination of the Christian life in terms of its motivation, goals, and the path to be followed to reach its goals. Included will be consideration of God's sacrifice, God's providence, our vocation to work, and the ministry of the Church. Special reference will be made to the 17th century poet and clergyperson George Herbert, especially his book The Temple, as well as other spiritual guides.

Fee: $225 (commuter rate $115)

LECTURE

"The Pilgrim Bible on a Feminist Journey"
Monday, March 12, 7:00 p.m., Main Lounge

In inauguration of a new series of yearly lectures on issues and concerns regarding women in ministry, Dr. Phyllis Trible, Professor of Old Testament at Union Theological Seminary (NYC), will present a lecture. Following the lecture a discussion led by members of the faculty will take place as well as a reception.

*** CONFERENCE**

The 12th Annual Conference of the National Association of Black Seminarians will be hosted by Princeton Theological Seminary from March 14 - 18. Several of the events are open to the public, including:

Wednesday, March 14, 7:00 p.m., Miller Chapel

Dr. Gardner Taylor, pastor of the Concord Baptist Church in Brooklyn, NY, will preach at the evening service.

Thursday, March 15, 7:30 p.m., Miller Chapel

The Rev. Suzan Johnson from Harvard University will preach at the evening service.

Saturday, March 17, 7:00 p.m., Nassau Inn

Father George Stallings, Roman Catholic priest from the Imani Temple in Washington, DC, will deliver the keynote address at the Banquet.

For more information about these events and other activities during the conference, call Jonathan Staples at (609)-921-7698.

LECTURE

"Matthew 16:13-20: A Look at the Text from the History of its Effects"
Wednesday, March 14, 7:30 p.m., Main Lounge, Mackay Campus Center

Dr. Ulrich Luz, Professor of New Testament at the University of Bern, Switzerland will be giving a lecture in which he will be taking a look at Matthew 16:13-20.

*** SEMINAR**

"Vessels of Mercy and Vessels of Wrath"
Monday, March 19, 4:30 p.m., to Thursday, March 22, 12:00 noon, Center of Continuing Education; Seminar Leader: Sasha Makovin, potter

The dilemma of mortality is a theme which occurs frequently in ancient script. In the figures of speech which are drawn from the vocabulary of the potter, many ancient writers revealed a fascination with the transformation of dust into the transitory stuff of humanity. In Israel, the shaping of clay became symbolic of the relationship between God and humanity. This

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class will engage the participants with the many vessel-related scriptures. Actual work with clay will illustrate the aptness of the metaphor. No previous experience is necessary. Bring your Bible and wear work clothes.

Fee: $225 (commuter rate $115)

*** SEMINAR**

"Are the Ways of God Just?: Sin, Suffering and Evil in the Old Testament"

Tuesday, March 20, 4:30 p.m., to Friday, March 23, 12:00 noon. Center of Continuing Education; Seminar Leader: Dr. Renita Weems

What roles do sin and evil play in God's redemptive plan? Why do the righteous suffer? This seminar will examine issues of justice and theodicy in three major Old Testament traditions: the Deuteronomic, the priestly, and the wisdom.

Fee: $225 (commuter rate $115)

WARFIELD LECTURES

"Liberating Reformed Theology"
Monday, March 26, to Thursday, March 29

This series of lectures will be given by Dr. John W. de Gruchy, Professor of Christian Studies at the University of Cape Town.

Lecture I, "A Ferment Nourished by the Gospel"
Monday, March 26, 7:00 p.m., Miller Chapel

Lecture II, "On Hearing the Word of God Alone"
Tuesday, March 27, 1:30 p.m., Main Lounge, Mackay Campus Center

Lecture III, "Knowing God and Ourselves"
Wednesday, March 28, 1:30 p.m., Main Lounge, Mackay Campus Center

Lecture IV, "The Spirituality of Grace Alone"
Thursday, March 29, 1:30 p.m., Main Lounge, Mackay Campus Center

Lecture V, "Theology Framed by Politics"
Thursday, March 29, 7:00 p.m., Main Lounge, Mackay Campus Center

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ON CAMPUS THIS MONTH:

PRINCETON THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY APRIL 1990

***SEMINAR**

"The Threats to Our Preaching"
Monday, April 2, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Center of Continuing Education; Seminar Leader: David H.C. Read

David H.C. Read, pastor of the Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church, New York City, will give a lecture on "The Threats to Our Preaching." The lectures and discussion will focus on the maintaining of our enthusiasm and integrity as preachers of the Word in a secularized society and distracted church.
Fee: $30 (includes lunch)

RECEPTION HONORING EDWARD A. DOWEY, JR.

Monday, April 2, 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., Adams House on Library Place

The Theological Book Agency and Westminster/John Knox Press will host a reception honoring Edward A. Dowey, Jr. on the occasion of the publication of **PROBING THE REFORMED TRADITION: HISTORICAL STUDIES IN HONOR OF EDWARD A. DOWEY, JR.** Dr. Dowey is the Archibald Alexander Professor of the History of Christian Doctrine, Emeritus. All friends, colleagues, and students of Dr. Dowey are warmly invited to attend.

AUTHOR SIGNING CELEBRATION

Wednesday, April 11, 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m., TBA

The TBA will host an author signing, celebrating the publication of **QUEST**, by Diogenes Allen, Stuart Professor of Philosophy at Princeton Theological Seminary. **QUEST** is being published by Walker & Co. Dr. Allen has authored many best-selling books, among them, Philosophy for Understanding Theology; Three Outsiders: Pascal, Kierkegaard, Simone Weil; and Christian Belief in a Postmodern World: The Full Wealth of Conviction. The public and members of the Seminary community are warmly invited to attend.

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RESCHEDULED BLACK HISTORY MONTH EVENT

Thursday, April 12, 12:30 p.m., Main Lounge, Mackay Campus Center

ABS and TSF will co-sponsor a talk by DeForest Soaries, executive minister of Shiloh Baptist Church in Trenton and a PTS alumnus. He is a leading authority on Black youth and the church.

*SEMINAR

"Our Daily Bread: Searching for a Christian Response to the Farm Crisis"
Monday, April 16, 4:30 p.m. to Thursday, April 19, 12:00 noon, Center of Continuing Education; Seminar Leaders: C. Dean Freudenberger and Gordon Douglass

C. Dean Freudenberger, professor of international development studies and missions, Claremont School of Theology, and Gordon Douglass, vice president for academic affairs and dean of Franklin and Marshall College, will give lectures on "Our Daily Bread: Searching for a Christian Response to the Farm Crisis." The seminar will explore the nature and dimensions of the farm crisis and will suggest theological, ethical, and agriculturally sound responses in rural and urban contexts.
Fee: $225 (commuter rate $115)

*SEMINAR

"Meeting the Challenge of the Small Church"
Monday, April 16, 4:30 p.m. to Thursday, April 19, 12:00 noon, Center of Continuing Education; Seminar Leader: Carl M. Geores

Carl M. Geores, founding pastor of the Mission at the Eastward in Maine, will lead a seminar on the small church. Topics will include: organizing the church for mission; building a parish ministry; building ecumenical partnerships and coalitions; building support systems for pastors and churches.
Fee: $225 (commuter rate $115)

LECTURE

Friday April 20, 12:30 p.m., Main Lounge, Mackay Campus Center

The President's Office and the Department of Church History will be hosts to Dr. Paola Ricca, Dean of the Waldensian Theological Seminary in Rome, Italy. He will meet with interested members of the Seminary community and anyone else who wishes to attend.

Dr. Ricca will also be preaching in Miller Chapel on Thursday, April 19 at 10:00 a.m.

***ONE DAY RETREAT**

"Praying and Practicing Paradox (A Lord's Prayer Retreat)"
Monday, April 23, 9:30 a.m. to Tuesday, April 24, 3:30 p.m., Center of Continuing Education

Kent I. Groff, director of Oasis Ministries for Spiritual Development; chaplain, Presbyterian Homes, Inc., Camp Hill, Pennsylvania, will hold a retreat which will focus on prayer and its paradoxes.

Through brief presentations from the director and quiet periods for personal prayer and journal writing, participants will experience meanings and methods for ongoing practice based on this familiar prayer form.
Fee: $90 (All are asked to stay overnight; limited to 20)

***SEMINAR**

"Liberation Theology Reshapes Educational Ministry"
Wednesday, April 25, 9:30 a.m. to Friday, April 27, 12:00 noon, Center of Continuing Education; Seminar Leader: Daniel S. Schipani

Daniel S. Schipani, professor of Christian education and personality, Associated Mennonite Biblical Seminaries, Elkhart, Indiana, will lead this seminar. He will explore the main contributions of liberation theology as they concretely illumine the various facets of Christian education in the congregational setting. Specific questions and issues will be considered from a liberationist perspective. In light of the participant's actual involvement in education ministry, specific attention will be given to the challenges of education for peace and justice.

CONCERT

Friday, April 27, 8:00 p.m., Miller Chapel

The Chapel Choir and Seminary Singers will perform **MESSIAH** by G.F. Handel. This concert is under the direction of David A. Weadon, C.F. Seabrook Director of Music and Organist. Brenda Day is the Choir Accompanist. This performance is open to the public and admission is free.

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*SEMINAR

"An Inquiry into the Writings Ascribed to the Great Prophet of Israel's Exile"
Monday, April 30, 4:30 p.m. to Thursday, May 3, 12:00 noon, Center of Continuing Education; Seminar Leader: Cullen IK Story

Cullen IK Story, associate professor of New Testament, emeritus, Princeton Theological Seminary, will lecture on Second Isaiah. In anticipation of lectionary readings in Isaiah 40-55 for Advent and Lent in 1990-91, this seminar will delve into the evangelical themes of Second Isaiah such as: the prophetic call, righteousness, suffering, atonement, forgiveness, salvation, the servant of the Lord, and a servant people. The aim will be to understand how these themes may affect the lives of the people of God today.

This seminar will be of particular value for those who are preaching from the lectionary.
Fee: $225 (commuter rate: $115)

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Dear Friend,

There are two other events coming up in early April at Princeton Seminary which I thought you might like to know about.

On **Sunday April 1** and **Saturday April 7** at 7:00 p.m. the Witherspoon Verse Speaking Choir of Witherspoon Presbyterian Church will present James Weldon Johnson's God's Trombones: Seven Negro Sermons in Verse. The sermons are given in choral and in solo styles, alternating with spirituals and gospel songs. Donation for the performance is $10.00.

From **Wednesday April 4 through Friday April 6 (8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.)** the Seminary will hold its annual book sale in the basement of the Mackay Campus Center. Donations of books for the sale will be welcome until **Monday April 2** and may be dropped off between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. at the rear entrance of Hodge Hall. Proceeds from the sale will fund libraries at the Caribbean Graduate School of Theology in Jamaica, Can Tho University in Viet Nam, and Trinity Theological College in Singapore.

If you have any questions about the book sale or wish to arrange pick-up of books, please call (609) 921-8300 (daytime) or 924-2334 (evenings).

We hope you may be able to attend both of these events. For further information, call the Office of Public Information, (609) 497-7760.

Sincerely,

Barbara Chaapel

Barbara A. Chaapel

ON CAMPUS THIS MONTH:

PRINCETON THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY MAY 1990

***SEMINAR**

"Peacemaking Over the Long Haul"
Friday, May 4 (6:00 p.m.) to Saturday, May 5 (5:00 p.m.), Center of Continuing Education; Co-sponsored by The Coalition for Nuclear Disarmament, Princeton, New Jersey

Charles McCollough, coordinator of Just Peace Priority, United Church of Christ; associate for church empowerment, Office of Church in Society, U.C.C.; Robert Moore, executive director, Coalition for Nuclear Disarmament, Princeton, New Jersey; Marcia Van Dyke, Peacemaking Committee of Nassau Presbyterian Church.

This seminar is for clergy and laity who are looking for theological and practical resources for overcoming the lethargy which often afflicts individuals and congregations after initially becoming involved in peacemaking. This workshop will offer new models for peacemaking in the 1990s.
Fee: $90 (commuter rate: $50)

***SEMINAR**

"Revisioning Vocation"
Saturday, May 5, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Center of Continuing Education; Seminar Leader: Kent I. Groff

Kent I. Groff, director of Oasis Ministries for Spiritual Development; chaplain, Presbyterian Homes, Inc., Camp Hill, Pennsylvania; L. Guy Mehl, director, Lancaster Career Development Center, Inc., Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

This is a focused retreat for persons who have realized vocational goals and are considering new directions. It is not for persons in immediate vocational crisis. Participants will experience spiritual resources for re-envisioning vocation and for ongoing daily meditation. Brief presentations will center on the image of God and gifts within the self and the methods of praying for discernment. These will be interspersed with quiet times for personal prayer, scripture meditation, and journal writing. Spouses are invited.
Fee: $30 (includes lunch; limited to 17)

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***SEMINAR**

"Helping Couples in Distress: A Systems Approach for Pastors"
Monday, May 14, (4:30 p.m.) to Thursday, May 17 (noon), Center of Continuing Education; Seminar leader: A.J. van den Blink

A.J. van den Blink, professor of pastoral theology at Colgate Rochester Divinity School, will lead this workshop. He will focus on the ways in which people turn to pastors for help with their marital problems, will provide a model for assessing conflicted marriages, and will provide a way of intervening in dysfunctional relationships. The workshop will be didactic and experiential, and will be case-oriented with particular emphasis on the use of self by the helper. Participants are expected to bring their own cases for discussion and assessment.
Fee: $225 (commuter rate: $115)

***SYMPOSIUM**

"History of Exegesis Symposium"
Monday, May 28 (1:30 p.m.) to Wednesday, May 30 (noon), Center of Continuing Education; Symposium Leaders: Paul Rorem and Mark Burrows

Paul Rorem, associate professor of early and medieval church history, Lutheran School of Theology, Chicago, Illinois; Mark Burrows, professor of church history, Wesley Theological Seminary, Washington, D.C.

On the occasion of Karlfried Froehlich's 60th birthday, certain colleagues and Ph.D. graduates will share research papers relating to the history of biblical exegesis from the early Church to modern times. This scholarly symposium will be highly specialized and frequently technical in nature but is open to general registration.
Fee: $60 (This includes one night's lodging and 2 meals.)

ALUMNI/AE REUNION GATHERING
Thursday - Friday, May 31 & June 1
A reminder to alumni/ae that the Alumni/ae Reunion Gathering will be held on the above dates. This year, special awards from the Alumni/ae Association will be presented to Sir John Templeton and in memory of Dr. James I. McCord.

During the two-day gathering, **Dr. Karlfried Froehlich**, Benjamin B. Warfield Professor of Ecclesiastical History, will present four major lectures on the topic **"Biblical Blueprints for Christian Action."** **Dr. Thomas G. Long**, Francis Landey Patton Professor of Preaching and Worship, will be the Banquet speaker on **Friday, June 1.** Special events and lecture dates and times are as follows:

THURSDAY, MAY 31 -

9:30 a.m. -**Service of Remembrance- Miller Chapel**
11:00 a.m. -**Lecture I- Stuart Hall, Room #6**
2:30 p.m. -**Lecture II- Stuart Hall, Room #6**
4:30 p.m. -**President's reception-Springdale**

FRIDAY, JUNE 1 -

11:00 a.m. -**Lecture III- Stuart Hall, Room #6**
2:30 p.m. -**Lecture IV- Stuart Hall, Room #6**
6:30 p.m. -**ALUMNI/AE BANQUET-Mackay Campus Center**

The lectures by Dr. Froelich are free of charge, and all alumni/ae and friends are welcome to attend. For further information or to register, please call the Alumni/ae Office at (609) 497-7785.

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